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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:)
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Sir:

Your petitioner, University Technologies International Inc., a Canadian entity having a principal place of business at Suite 130, 3553 31st St., N.W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada, T2L 2K7, and duly represented by the undersigned, represents that it is the assignee of the full title and interest in and to the above-identified Application No. 09/720,907, filed July 10, 2001, and in and to U.S. Patent Nos. 6,015,895, and 6,043,353, as evidenced by the deeds of Assignment recorded at Reel No. 011966, Frame No. 0067, at Reel No. 009456, Frame 0275, and at Reel No. 009502, Frame No. 0008, respectively.

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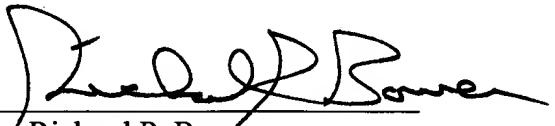
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